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Units in Yambol

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1. 24 Infantry Regiment

Commander: Colonel Dobrinov

Deputy Commander: Major Cakrov

This regiment consists of 2,500 mon; three battalions.

1 Battalion

Commander: Major Gancev

Has 550 men; four companies.

1 Company

Commander: Lieutenant Doicev

Consists of 160 men; three sections

1 Section - 48 men

3 light machine guns 3 Tommy Guns (Soviet)

36 rifles

2 and 3 Sections - Same as above.

2 Company

Commender: Lieutenant Keracorbadjiev

Organization and armament same as 1 Company.

3 Company

Commander: Lieutenant Kovacev

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Organization and armament same as 1 Company.

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4 Company

Commander: Lieutenant Pantasov

Consists of 80 men; 9 heavy muchine guns

1 Section - 28 men

3 machine guns (Schwartzloze 9mm)

2 and 3 Sections - Same an above.

2 Battalion

Commander: unknown

Organization and armament same as 1 Battalian.

3 Battalion

Commander: unknown

Organization and armanint same as 1 Battalion.

1 Company

Commander: Lieutena t Petar Pesev

2 Company

Commander: Zdravko Kolev, Lieutenant

Special Companies of the Regiment

Liaison Compan - 93 men

Commander: Livitenant Handjiev

1 Section - 31 men

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2 and 3 Sections - Same as above.

Mortar Company - 65 men

Commander: lieutenant Kiprovski

1 Section - 21 men

3 mortars

2 and 3 Sections - Same as above.

Section ar i-tanks - 20 mon

3 anti-tank guns

Commander: unknown

These are subdivided into three sub-sections

Canine /ection

Quarter-Master Section

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2. 2 Cavalry Division - Yambol

Commander: Colonel Zeleznikov

I Deputy-Commander: Lieutenant Taskov (Communist)

II Deptuy-Commander: Major Genkov (Communist)

This Division is part of II Army

3. The following units are located in Ympbol:

- a. 4 Cavalry Regiment
- b. 3 Anti-aircraft Regiment
- c. 29 Infantry Regiment
- d. Air Force unit (unidentified)
- e. A group of Engineers and Signal Corps, nonsisting of two squadrons
 - 1 Squadron 80 men
 - 2 Squadron 80 men
 - 25 shock-troops
 - 25 pontooneers
 - 30 mine layers